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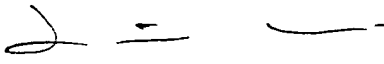
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Sir:

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Per the January 12, 2007 IDS, the undersigned requested the examiner to obtain copies of three publications listed on form PTO-1449 from the parent application inasmuch as those references were then not available to the undersigned. The undersigned has since obtained copies of those publications, which are being submitted herewith for the convenience of the examiner per the attached PTO-1449, as reproduced from the IDS filed on January 12, 2007.

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